

May & June Newsletter 2023

1950s themed Mocktails & Silent Auction May 6th- Get your tickets today!



May Greetings,

It is unbelievable that we are heading into the last few weeks of the school year. This year has been so awesome getting to know the children, families, and staff. Mount Cross is indeed a special place on the hill. This month at our VIP Tea we are recognizing mothers, grandmothers, and other special people that have helped shape the Mt. Cross children.

Our May Day Hat Parade will start at 8:30am. Please be on time. we cannot wait to see how creative the hats are this year!

Please be sure to mark your calendars from the Dudes and Donuts celebration and the PreK and TK promotion . Also, on June 15 Dismissal will be at 11:30am on Friday, June 16. Thank you in advance for planning accordingly.

We are still enrolling for Summer and Fall. Please feel free to contact the office for more information.

Lastly, everything that the Mt. Cross Staff does for the children and families is very appreciated. Thank you for taking time out this week to acknowledge and let the teachers know that their hard work does not go un-noticed.

Orange Volcano

What You'll Need-

An orange, Knife ,Spoon, bowl, baking soda, vinegar, Food coloring, Measuring glass (to pour vinegar from)

What to Do-

1.Place your orange on a flat surface.

2.Slice the top of the orange off and remove the inside of the orange. We scored the inside of the orange a bit with the knife just to loosen the orange up. Then, scoop the inside of the orange out like you're removing the insides of a pumpkin you're about to carve!

3. Place your orange in a bowl. Scoop some baking soda into your orange (about a tablespoon).

4. Pour some vinegar into a measuring glass (we used a couple cups) and add some food coloring. Mix well.

Pour the colored vinegar into the orange and watch the fun!

Upcoming events

Chapel- May 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17, 23, 24, 30, 31, June 6, 7 @ 11:10am

May Day Hat Parade- May 1 & 2 @ 8:30am

Silent Auction & Mocktails fundraiser- May 5, 4-7pm

Mother's Day VIP tea- May 11 & 12 @ 8:30am Please join us in the Pavilion before class.

Teacher Appreciation Week- May 1-5

Father's Day Dudes & Donuts- June 1 & 2 @8:30am Please join us in the Pavilion before class.

Promotion Chapel- June 16 Mrs. Lee & Mrs. Ramirez's class @ 10:45am

Last Day of School- June 16 **All dismissals at 11:30am**

Summer School begins- Wednesday, June 21

WHEN I PLAY I LEARN

When I participate in nature material I learn...

- new vocabulary
- concepts of texture, color, size, and weight
- to group objects in categories
- to observe likeness and differences
- to appreciate nature and develop a sense of wonder



"God made us to do good." Ephesians 2:10

Teacher Spotlight- Mrs. Amy Vega is the director here at Mt. Cross CDC. She is very active in the Early Childhood education scene as a professor at Moorpark College. She loves water sports, her dogs, and 200lb tortoise, Buttercup. Mrs. Vega enjoys time with her family and traveling.

Stop by the office to see the art display that the Mrs. Lee's PreK class has put together.